

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:           Shaher A. Ahmad  
Serial No.:                    10/645,739  
Filing Date:                 August 21, 2003  
Group Art Unit:             3733  
Confirmation No.:           9156  
Examiner:                  James L. Swiger III  
Title:                        **BONE ANCHOR SYSTEM**

**NOTIFICATION OF EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

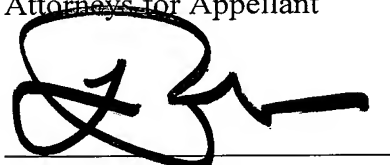
Applicant hereby takes an Extension of Time from the filing of Notice of Appeal for one (1) month from **August 21, 2008 to September 21, 2008**.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Month .....	\$ 120.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Fourth Month .....	\$ 1,590.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Second Month .....	\$ 450.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Fifth Month .....	\$ 2,160.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Third Month .....	\$ 1,020.00		

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$120.00 one month extension of time fee and to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.  
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Date: September 19, 2008

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